

House File 774

H-1227

1 Amend House File 774 as follows:

2 1. Page 1, before line 1 by inserting:

3 <Section 1. NEW SECTION. **80.47 Public safety equipment**  
4 **fund.**

5 1. A public safety equipment fund is created in the state  
6 treasury under the control of the department. The fund shall  
7 consist of moneys deposited in the fund pursuant to section  
8 321.492C and any other moneys appropriated to or deposited  
9 in the fund. Moneys in the fund are appropriated to the  
10 department for the purchase, maintenance, and replacement of  
11 equipment used by the department.

12 2. Notwithstanding section 8.33, moneys in the fund  
13 that remain unencumbered or unobligated at the close of a  
14 fiscal year shall not revert but shall remain available for  
15 expenditure for the purposes designated. Notwithstanding  
16 section 12C.7, subsection 2, interest or earnings on moneys in  
17 the fund shall be credited to the fund.

18 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 135.25, Code 2019, is amended to read as  
19 follows:

20 **135.25 Emergency medical services fund.**

21 An emergency medical services fund is created in the state  
22 treasury under the control of the department. The fund  
23 includes, but is not limited to, amounts appropriated by the  
24 general assembly, and other moneys available from federal or  
25 private sources which are to be used for purposes of this  
26 section. Funds remaining in the fund at the end of each  
27 fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund of the state  
28 but shall remain in the emergency medical services fund,  
29 notwithstanding [section 8.33](#). The fund is established to  
30 assist counties by matching, on a dollar-for-dollar basis,  
31 moneys spent by a county for the acquisition of equipment for  
32 the provision of emergency medical services and by providing  
33 grants to counties for education and training in the delivery  
34 of emergency medical services, as provided in [this section](#) and  
35 section 422D.6. A county seeking matching funds under this

1 section shall apply to the emergency medical services division  
2 of the department. Moneys deposited in the fund pursuant to  
3 section 321.492C shall be allocated as required under this  
4 section, but shall be used to assist counties in providing  
5 emergency medical services in rural, underserved areas of  
6 the state. The department shall adopt rules concerning the  
7 application and awarding process for the matching funds and  
8 the criteria for the allocation of moneys in the fund if the  
9 moneys are insufficient to meet the emergency medical services  
10 needs of the counties. Moneys allocated by the department to a  
11 county for emergency medical services purposes may be used for  
12 equipment or training and education as determined by the board  
13 of supervisors pursuant to [section 422D.6.](#)>

14 2. Page 8, by striking lines 1 through 6 and inserting  
15 <percent shall be transferred to the treasurer of state. The  
16 treasurer of state shall deposit thirty-four percent of the  
17 moneys received under this subsection in the public safety  
18 equipment fund created in section 80.47 and sixty-six percent  
19 of the moneys received under this subsection in the emergency  
20 medical services fund created in section 135.25.>

21 3. By renumbering as necessary.

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